Substitute for form 1449A/PTO				VPTO	Complete if Known				
IA	INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT	CLOSUDE	Application No.	10/826,973					
			Application No. 10/826,973 Filing Date April 16, 2004	April 16, 2004					
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT		First Named Inventor	Gregory E. Niles						
	TATEMENT BY APPLICANT		Art Unit	2628					
					Examiner Name	Jason Michael Repko			
Sheet		1	of	1	Attorney Docket Number	18602-08906 (P3331US1)			

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS						
		Document No.				
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.1	Number – Kind Code ² (if known)	Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document		
/J.R./	A1	US-2005/0268279 A1	12-01-2005	Paulsen et al.		
/J.R./	A2	US-2005/0091576 A1	04-28-2005	Relyea et al.		
/J.R./	А3	US-6,636,242	10-21-2003	Bowman-Amuah		
/J.R./	A4	US-6,615,199	09-02-2003	Bowman-Amuah		
/J.R./	A5	US-6,573,896	06-03-2003	Ribadeau Dumas et al.		
/J.R./	A6	US-6,144,381	11-07-2000	Lection et al.		

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS						
		Foreign Patent Document				
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.1	Country Code ³ – Number ⁴ Kind Code ⁵ (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	T	

OTHER REFERENCES - NON-PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Cite Initials* No.1		Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published			
7	C1	LAMMERS, J., et al., "Maya 4.5 Fundamentals: Particles," 2003-01-14, 12 pages, [online] [retrieved on 2007-02-17] Retrieved from Proquest Safari Books Online: <url:< td=""><td></td></url:<>			
7 /		http://proquest.safaribooksonline.com/0735713278>.			

Examiner Signature	/Jason Repko/	Date Considered	01/19/2008	

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609.

Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ²See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁶Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.